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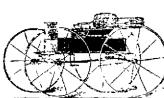
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year a worthy bourgeois named Jean Mangold, who, in the opinion of all save some members of the medical profession. deserved well, not only of his own country, but of the whole world. Colmar, the antique Columbaria of the Romans, next to Strasburg, is unsurpassed for the fabrication of "pates de foie gras." The friends of the late M. Mangold, indeed, who was for many years the leading pastry cook at Colmar, claim that his pice were agons surprise to those randa at pastry cook at commar, claim that his pies were even superior to those made at Strasburg. M. Mangold was a poet to boot, and composed a large number of local idyls, satires, vandevilles and songs for music. But it will be with his pies, and not with his poens in his hand that he will weekly to extend that the will weekly to extend the restriction.

SO POPULAR IN FRANCE

Goose Livers Are Made Fat-Appervphal Story of Dumas-The Famous Pies of

At Colmar, in Alsace, died in his 71st

Strasburg-Giving Them a Soul.

and not with its poems in his name that he will probably go down to postesity. It might be desirable in the outset to stigmatize as wholly apocryphal the story to which Alexandre Dumas the elder, in his "Dictionnaire de Cuisine," has given currency as to the horrible tortures incurrency as to the horrible tortures in-flicted on the Alsatian geese in order to fatten their livers to the degree required by the pastry cooks. Starting with the postulate that the liver of the bird can only be fattened by the tumefaction of that organ, and that for pie making pur-poses the goose livers should be ten or twelve times the normal size, the author of "Monto Cristo" goes on to say that of "Monte Cristo" goes on to say that the wretched bipeds are nailed by their web feet to boards, that their eyes are put out, and that they are incessantly stuffed with pounded nuts and deprived

STUFFING THE LIVE BIRDS. Another alarmist, improving on Alexandre Dumas, asserts that the nailed down goese are placed before a raging fite and allowed to drink as much water as they like, thus leading to enlargement of the liver. As a matter of fact. ment of the liver. As a matter of fact, the birds, like capons and turkeys, are no doubt systematically crammed, usually with a paste made of Indian corn and millet; but there is no more truth in the wild stories of the nailed down feet, the blinding and the semi-roasting in front of an ardent fire than there is in the tales that turtle soup is nade of conger rel and the sauce called soy from cockroaches.

Toulouse, in the south of France, Ruf-fee in the Chevante and Nerse in the

fee, in the Charente and Nerac, in the Bordelais, have in modern times, rivaled Strasburg and Colmar in the making of "pates do fore gras;" and there are culinary antiquaries who maintain that pasties of fatted goose livers are a fallo-Roman survival of Apician origin. The mode of fattening the geese was somewhat cruel. The birds were cooped in subtray continement in very new years. in solitary confinement in very narrow cages; three times a day they were gorged with maize, and, on the twentysecond day of cramming, a spoonful of poppy cil was added to the corn; water was freely given them, but it was always mixed with sweet wort from the brewery. At the end of forty-two days the goes became so fat as to be in danger of suffocation and was therefore killed. Its proper weight should then be and. Its proper weight should then be about sixteen pounds, out of which the liver should weigh thirty-two ounces. Another quicker but more equivocal way of fattening the geese was to mix anti-mony with the larinaceous paste with which the birds were crammed.

HOW TO MAKE THE PIE. At Strasburg the construction of a pate is a serious and even solemn affair. Six fattened livers are the ordinary pabulum for a pie; they must first be washed in many waters and then parboiled, and are next scrupulously trimmed so as to free them from all fibrous substance and from any matter approaching bitterness in flavor. Each liver is then cut in two, and, out of the dozen, three are chosen to be beaten in a mortar and passed through a sieve with bacon, shalots, parsley and mushrooms, so as to make a "farce," or forcement, which is boiled, and forms the basis of the pie. The other half livers are then larded with the finest Perigord truffles, cut in the shape of dice, and the contents of the pie are made to consist of layers of liver, truffles and forcement. Two hours are sufficient to bake thus dainty dish, fit to be set before a whole congress of kings and emperors. When the pic is withdrawn from the oven the top crust should be delleately lifted and a large glass of Madeira poured into the interior. Then it should be hermetically closed, so as to be fit to be at once packed and dispatched to the uttermost ends of the earth.

most ends of the earth. remains, however, to show how It remains, however, to show how these famous pres came to be made at Strasburg and Colmar at all Only 100 years have elapsed since the French inflitary governor of the province of Alsace, Marshal de Contades, brought with him to Strasburg as cook a Norman by the name of Close. Alsace was already remarkable for it "terrines" of fat goose livers, which were preserved in earthen pipkins with a layer of clarified butter under the cover. They were somewhat rudely prepared, and lacked one supreme accessory. The artistic one supreme accessory. The artistic Close practically exclaimed, "Pipkin, thou shalt become a pic!" He discarded the earthen jar and imprisoned the rich livers in a casket of pie crust. "The body is there," continued the enthusiastic chef, "we must now give it a soul;" and he found a spiritual element for his pie in the exciting perfume of the Peri-gordian truffle. Close, the Norman, must assuredly be considered us the inventor of the Strasburg pie. — London Daily

How College Men Turn Out. The "ten year book" of Cornell university shows that during the last twenty years the total number of degrees conferred is 1,437 and the total number of graduates is 1,352. Of this number 45 are engaged in agriculture, 51 m architecture and building, 5 in art, 23 in bank-ing, 11 in chemistry and assaying, 150 in civil engineering, 246 in education, 30 in electrical engineering, 61 in newspaper work, 235 in law, 39 in manufacturing, 43 in mechanical engineering, 65 in med-icine and surgery, 115 in mercantile pur-suits, 80 in the ministry, 5 in publishing, 12 in scientific investigation, 65 in study. One hundred and twenty-one are with-out occupation or are unreported.—New York Tribune.

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"I declare, Robert," said the old man irascibly, "you are the most stupid boy I ever saw. I wonder at your ignorance. It seems to me I'll never be able to learn you anything."
"Do you mean teach me anything,
Pa?" asked Bobby calmly, picking a toothpick.

Is Consumption Incurable? Read the following: Mr. C. H. Morris. Newark, Ark., says: "Was down with Abscess of Lungs, and friends and physi-cians pronounced me an Incurable Consumptive. Began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, am now on my third bottle, and able to oversee the work on my farm. It is the finest medicine ever made."

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THE PATE DE FOIE GRAS. Uncle Jonas Catches His Brisk You HISTORY OF THIS DELICATE DISH

"I am on the turf now," said a flashy, black eyed young man, still in his teens to an acquaintance whom he met at the Guttenburg races. I am out for money, Death of its Greatest Maker-How the

and everything goes.'

"When did you quit your uncle's hock shop?" asked the boy's acquaintance.

"Las' week We'n'sdy. He fired me out for trying to work one of his own games. One of the funniest rackets you ever heard of and I'm just sore counts on the heard of, and I'm just sore enough on the old man to give it dead away. The old man was going up Center street one day last summer, and he stopped in a second hand tool shop to see a friend. While he hand tool snop to see a rriend. While has was there he got monkeying with a second hand signal box. It was a little castiron thing with the word "police" on the front and a brass button on the top. When he pressed the button it set a lot of clockwork going in the box, and made as much poises an alarm clock. Ho of clockwork going in the box, and made as much noise as an alarm clock. He was stuck on the thing and bought it for a half. I asked him what he was going to do with it and he said he would stick it up on the wall and ring it if any toughs tried to make trouble in the shop. Well, that's just what he did with it. He screwed it up in plain sight behind the counter and fastened wires to it to make it look as if they went somewhere. make it look as if they went somewhere make it look as if they went somewhere.
Then he took some bronze paint and
touched up the letters so that nobody
could make any mistake in reading them.
I don't believe he thought of what a great graft the box was until he had it up about a week. Then he made it useful for the first time. A young fellow came in with a dress coat wrapped up in newspaper and wanted five cases on it Uncle Jonas held the coat up and size it up with the fellow that was trying to soak it. The coat was big enough for two like him and the old man says:

"'Betcher life,' says the young feller.

"Vait till I call my bruder,' says the bill man and he turned and insured the

old man, and he turned and jammed the but ton down hard on the signal box.
The young feller just gave one glance at
the box, and he shet out of the door and
left the coat behind. He ain't been seen around there since. After that the old man give me to understand I was to come along kinder slow any time when he rung the box, so that if people didn't scare, they would take it that the call was for me, and then he would consul me about the goods that were offered. He worked the call on a man with a He worked the call on a man with a gold watch next day, and the man snatched the watch out of his hand and skipped. After that he was more careful, and when a crook came in with a ring a day or two later, he laid the ring down out of reach and touched the button, saying that he would call his son and get his opinion about the stone. The crook looked at the call box and ran his eye along the wires which ran toward his eye along the wires which ran toward the front of the shop. Then he began to swear, and made a jump for the side door. Next day a nice looking fellow came in and described the ring, and said that it was stolen from him, and that he had covered the man who, stole the real had cornered the man who stole it, and learned where it was.
"'All right; I vill send for it,' says the

old man, and then he touched the but again.
"'I will come in again in a half ar

hour, says the nice looking young feller, and skips out the door. Did he come back? Naw. Well, the old man worked the new snap every chance he got, but sometimes he got fooled, and then I had to come to the front and be consulted, always askin! Did you ring, sir? One day when the old man was out to dinner a feller come in with a stud. It was a real bug and I wanted to win it. So I sprung the call box on him. He shot out of the side door and I dropped the ring in my pecket. Two minutes later me uncle put his hand on my shoulder, and two big tears ran down his nose as he told me that he was sorry that he had found out that I was not honest. He was not honest as the told me that he was not honest. gave me a calking old lecture on honesty being the best policy, and told me that being the best poncy, and tone me mass he had bren watching me from the back part of the shop and seen me git the 'chenuine tiamont.' I had to give it up to him, and he is wearing it now while I am on my uppers. Oh, yes, he fired me 'yust as soon as he found I vasn't hon est.' You go up there to morrow and see if he don't ring the box on you and try to bluff you out of your watch. Then ask him about me."—New York Sun.

An American who has been traveling in Europe thus describes the industrial uses of old boots and shoes which are thrown out into the streets and into ash outs: After being collected they are ipped open, and the leather is subjected to a treatment which renders it a pliable mass, from which a kind of artistic leather is derived. This in appearance resembles the best leather of Cordova. In the United States patterns are stamped on this, while in France it is used to cover trunks and boxes. The old boots and shoes are also treated in another way by which they are converted into new ones. The pricepage into way by which they are converted into new ones. The prisoners in Central France are employed in this way, the old shoes coming chiefly from Spaim. They are taken to pieces as before, the nails being all removed, and the leather is scaked in order to soften it. The uppers for children's shoes are then cut from it. The soles are also used, for from the smaller pieces of the leather of the old soles, the so called Louis XIV. the old soles, the so called Louis XIV heels for ladies' shoes are made from the larger and thinner pieces. The old rails are also put to use, for by means of magnets the iron nails and the tacks and ners the iron name and the tacks and brads are separated and sold. The con-tractors of the military prisons at Mont-pelier say that these nails alone pay for the old shoes. Nothing now remains but the scraps, and these have also their value, for they are much sought after by certain specialists for agricustural pur-poses.—New York Mail and Express.

A Dog's Suicide.

In New York a dog committed suicide by jumping off a ferryboat. The owner, an old woman, asked a policeman to dehim at the dock until she got aboard, but as soon as the boat started the dog but as soon as the boat started the dog jumped for the deck, and, by a great effort, succeeded in pulling himself on board. Then he ran through the women's cabin with his nose to the floor, and found his mistress on the forward deck. His stumpy tail bobbed so fast that it was almost invisible, and if a dog ever laughed he did. The old woman was angry. She scolded him as though he had been stealing meat, and his tail gradually stopped wagging, while his head sank lower and lower. He walked slowly forward until he was on the edge slowly forward until he was on the edg of the deck, and looked mournfull across the water. He was the picture of dog despair. Suddenly he gave a bound far out into the river and in a moment the ferryboat had passed over him.-Cincinnati Enquirer.

Change in the Musical College. I take pleasure in announcing to the general public that I have sold the Decatur Musical College to Prof. Olof Bull, who has been with the college as violin teacher for nearly five years. His success as an artist and teacher is established. as an arrist and teacher is established.

As he now assumes his new position of director of the college, I earnestly bespeak for him the cordial and generous patronage bestowed upon the college under my direction.

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Respectfully,
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The St. Louis E.our Wills Shut Dewn In Accordance with the Eli-waukee Agreemant. St. Louis, Jan. 2.-When the announce

ment was made on Change this morning that the flour mills of St. Louis, with one exception, and a number of mills in this section of the country had shut down and that none of them would run more than half time during the month of January a sensation was created. The only one than that is running is Kauffman's Ancher Mill, and it is only running half time. The news was telegraphed to Chicago and the effect of it was to break wheat three cents. Chicago had heard that this was coming but thought that St. Louis millers were only crying "wolf" again and paid no attention to it. When the confirmation of the report reached there the traders began to unload and the market

to drep.

The closing of the mills is only the carrying out of the agreement made at the Millers' Convention at Milwarkee last month. The extreme duliness of the market prompted them to enter into an agreement not to run more than half time during January, and they are living up to the agreement Mr. John W. Kauffman was asked if it

was true that his was the only mill in the city that was running, and he said: "Yes, I believe that they are all shut down but our Anchor Mill, and we are only running half time. We had an order for one thou-sand barrels for January delivery, and we are making that." "What is the cause of the duliness of the market?" was asked."

"Over production. There is a very large stock in the country, and no export demand. We can not export because we are a shilling above the foreign market. As long as that price continues we must keep our stock, and it is too much for the domestic demand. If wheat comes down to an export basis the mills will start us again, but not until then."

Mr. Alex Smith, secretary of the Mili-

ers' Association, said: "The closing of the milis is in accordance with the Miwankee agreement. Two hundred and fifty winter wheat mills have signed written agreements, which I have in my desk, and more are coming in every day.

The capacity of these nulls is seventyfour thousand barrels a day. You may
say that all the nulls in St. Louis have shut down, for the Anchor is the only one running, and it is only making one order, which isn't a drop in the bucket compared with the aggregate output of all the mills."
Mr. Richard Perry, in talking about the

duliness of the market, said: "Every year the flour trade becomes very duli during the first two weeks of January. People are taking stock, and very little flour is bought. Even if the preceding sixty days have been active, the first par of January will be doll, but this year the situation is worse than usual. The last situation is worse than usual. The last cirty days have been dull. The depression began when Hutchinson's corner in Chicago broke. The buyers abroad had been scored. They thought there would be famine and famine prices, and they bought everything they could get for cash and future delivery. Prices went to the tro and then began their decline. Like top and then began their decline. Like every one else who is caught, the foreign buyer felt sore. They have no profit on what they bought then, and they want to get rid of every barrel of it before they buy any more. The stock in the South is pretty well cleaned up. In the East they still have full stock, and here, though our stock is twenty-five thousand barrels less than last year, it is still large enough to be more than sufficient to meet the de-

millers returned from Milwaukee thav arpressed great satisfaction with the confaction was that none but millers were there. The results of that meeting indi-cate that that they said we true; that none but rullers were there, and that they settled down to business and soon resched an agreement which they could and

some time and the latest quotations give afair reases for the action of the millers. The prices as quoted on the last day of

the year were as follows: XXX, \$3.300 \$3.30; family, \$3.3563.40; choice, \$3.506 \$3.60; fancy, \$4.25634.35; extra facey, \$4.65 @4.75; patents, 85 29 @5.30. Arrested for Embessiement. PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 8 .- John M. Car-

PRILADELPHIA, San, o.—com m. Carrethers, a receiver and clerk for the Philadelphia Taction Company, was arrested yest day, charged with the embezziement of \$5,000 from the company, and with allowed heads and account be and with altering books and accounts be-longing to them. He was taken before handsome band crotcht trim Magistrate Lennon, where he waived a hearing and was held in \$10,000 bail. Monragan was hem a glood ball.

Monragan, Can., Jan. 3.—Lewis Hor.

who arrived here Monday with his wing from Chicago, was arrested Tucagay on a chelegram from that city on a charge of embezzling \$19,000. He is about thirty years old He will be returned to Chicago. Ball Silk Fringes, suitable for trimming wraps, in all colors,

BUGGIES, Carriages, Carta and Whips apr 27-dtf Bushner & Cana, 241 and 245 East William street. Tax a load of that clean of the eour sold by F. B. Caldwell at \$. 75 per ton.

dec 13-dtf The largest and cleanes: 'Foft nut coal sold in this market at F. D. C. I DWELL.

dec13-dtf For all kinds of bread, pies, c: f: s and rolls, go to the bakery of Aun_s: & 10w-ling, 633 North Morgan street. None hatter in the city.

Woon Pumps, Chain Pumps, Ires Force Pumps, for sale at Spencer & Leb-man's. feb 16-d&wtf CUTTERS and bob-sleds for sale at Spencer & Lebman's. nov22daw6w

Chancery Notice. STATE OF ILLINOIS, 188. In the Circuit Court to the January Term, A. D. 1889.

Mary H. James vs. Ross C. James - In Chancery. given away with Balsam Fir Mary H. James vs. Ross C. James - In Chancery.
Public notice is hereby given to Ross C. James,
the above named defendant, that the above
named complainant, Mary H. James, has filed
her bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, against said Ross C. James;
that summors has been issued thereon, returnable on the first day of said term of said court, to
be held in Decatur, Illinois, on the 14th day of
January, 1852. Said summons being recursed
showing said defendant was not found, and and
day't being filed with the Clerk of said court,
that the said defendant is a non-resident of this
state. Soap. Fancy Embroidered Plushes for

ming, in all the new colors.

Black Coney collars with muff,

at \$1.75; Opossum Collars with

muff, at \$5.00; Silver Hare Col-

Black Coney at 75c, \$1.00, 1.50.

American Opossum, at \$2.25.

Children's Toboggans at 25c and

350 Ladies' Toboggans at

is at 39c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00. Ladies' Hoods at 25c, 50c, 75c

Balsam Fir Pillows, size 9x14 in.

Toc, 75c and \$1.00. Fasci-

Seal Plush Muffs, at \$2.50.

Monkey Muffs, at \$5.00.

lars with muff, at \$4.00.

LADIES' MUFFS-

atiu \$1,00.

Sets and Doyles.

at \$1,00 per yard.

to match.

pillows and cushions. Bolting paintings for Fancy Toilet

Fancy Cord and Tassels, for Throws, Appliques, Tinsels, Purse Ornaments, Sequen Bangles, Banner Rods and Stands

Towel Rings, Broom Holders Rope Silk, Rope Linen.

Agents for the Jouvin Kid Gloves.

Chancery Notice. STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, SA. In the Circuit Court-To the January Term.
A. D. 1889.

William H. Brownlee vs. Hetty Brownlee. William H. Brownlee vs. Hotty Brownlee.
Public notice is hereby given to Hetty Brownlee that William H. Brownlee, plaintiff is the above entitled cause, has fired his bill of complaint in said Circuit Court of Macon county against said Hetty Brownlee; that a summens has been issued against said Hetty Brownlee by the Cierk of said Court, returnable on the second Monday of January A. D. 1889, into said Court at the court house in Decatur, Illinois, which suit is still pending and undetermined, at which time and viace you can appear and plead, answer, or denur, else said bill will be taken as ontessed against you.

R. McCLELLAN,
Clerk of Circuit Court of Macon Co., Ill. deci-dew

that the said defendant is a non-resident of this state.

Now, unless you, the said Ross C. James, shall appear, plead, answer or demur to said bill at the time and place above mentioned, these the said bill and the matters and things therein contained in said bill shall be taken for confessed and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

Dated this 4th day of December, 1886.

Witness: E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

LEE & FINN, Complainant's Belicitors.

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FRIDAY EVE., JAN. 4, 1889. THE treasury surplus, as seen in the lect statement, was about \$60,000,000 at he close of December. This is \$10,-900,000 below the amount when the year regan, and \$50,000 000 under the highest lgures for the year. The surplus is several million dollars higher than it was harty days ago, however. It will hardly crease during the present month, owing to the leavy disbursements which the government will be called upon to make.

THE Democratic organ, troubling itself about who shall be postmaster of Deca tur, remands one of the occasion when Satan took the Savior up into a high mountain and offered him all the kingdoms of the earth, when, as Pope Bob expressed it, the offer came from an individual who didn't even hold an option on one of the poorest lots in the smallest of all earth's deserted villages.

According to Bradstreet's the total number of failures in the United States during the year 1888 was 10,587, as against 9.740 in 1887, 10,568 in 1886, 11,-116 in 1885, 11,620 in 1884, 10,299 in 1883, 7,635 in 1882 and 5,939 in 1881. The general liabilities for the failures in 1888 amounted to \$120,242,402, against \$130,-605,000 in 1887, while the actual assets for 1588 were \$61,999,911, as against \$64,-561,000 for 1887. The topographical distribution of the failures for 1888 is as follows: Eastern states, 1,372; Middle states, 2,361; Southern states, 2,098; Western states, 3,626; Pacific states, 816.

THE New York Herald illustrates the manner in which history is sometimes written by giving what purports to be a report of the passage between Col. Bis-Bell (then Congressman from the Belleville District, afterwards Governor of Illinois), and Jeff Davis, of Mississippi, which resulted in a challenge by the platter to the former to fight a duel. It closes with the following surprising * statement:

Both parties are now living. Major Sissell served with distinction during the Sissell served with distinction under the server is not farm in filinois, and everyone knows the subsequent history of "Colonel"

"Major" (or rather Col.) Bissell was a soldier in the Mexican war, but did not live to participate in the war of the rebellion, having died in Springfield inearch, 1860, while Governor of the State, to which office he was elected in 1856.

THE Democratic administration announces a decrease in the public debt of \$14,427,595 for December, but only a decrease of \$31,522,2J8 since June 30, or an average of \$6,304,479.60 a month. The unusually large reduction for the last month will not cover up the fact that the finances of the Nation are being conducted in such an extravagant manner as to preclude the possibility of paying off the debt as fast as it was being liquia dated by the Republican party while in power. The average monthly reduction was then about \$10,000,000 per month. If it were not so short a time before the Rejublicans will again take bold, this Would be worthy of longer consideration.

Gov. Hill's scheme for amending the federal constitution, relating to the offices of President and Vice President contemplates three radical changes in that metrument: 1. That the term of office of the Pres-

Vice President shall be six three years ago. 2. That the President shall be incli-

Sible for re-election.
3. That the President shall immediately upon the expiration of his term become a niember of the United States Senate for life, and receive un appropriate salary.

All these so-called "reforms" proceed upon the theory that the people cannot be trusted to attend to their own affairs. For one hundred years the people of this country have been exercising the privilege of voting for whatever sort of man pleased them for President, and in all ine they have never committed the let of re-electing an unfit man to hief office in the government. The y they sat down upon Grover Cleveand is a late instance of their ability to distinguish between a first election and a re-election. They can still be trusted to manage the afflors of the country without any further constitutional restricting. As to the first of Gov. Hill's propositions, it is enough to sty that while six years might be none to long a term for a good President, it would be just two years too long for a bad one. The citizen chosen to act as chief executive of the ration ought to have a term long enough to develop all the good there is in him, and if he cannot do that in four years he would not be likely to improve by lengthening out his period of ill-doing for another two years. It is denbtful whether the six years' term would be any better than four years. The proposition to make ex-presidents life senators is a little too silly to be seriously dis-

A STATE commission to consider the whole question of licensing the liquor trade has had the matter under consideration in New York. Its members have reached a conclusion and made their re-Ca per of saloons in propertion to the population, and a system of moderately high license, to be graded according to the location. For a full saloon license to sell all kinds of liquors, \$300 to \$500 in the cities, and \$100 to \$200 in country places; and induces refreshing sleep is something saloon licenses for the sale of ales, wine marvelous. It never fails to give instant and beer, \$60 to \$150 in cities, and \$40 relief, even in the worst cases of throat to \$100 in villages; store licenses, for the sale of all kinds of liquors in anbroken packages of less than five gallons, not to be drunk on the premises, \$75 to \$250 in cities, and \$50 to \$150 in country places; restaurants, to sell all kinds of liquors to be drunk on the premises only at meals, \$100 to \$250 in cities, and \$40 to \$100 in villages; drug stores, with permission to only such teachers as are capable of doing sell only on a physician's prescription first-class work in their respective description of the public sell only on a physician's prescription on the public sell only on the problem. written in English, \$20. "THERE was a sound of revelry by

night" and she had a card but couldn't go, all on account of neuralgia. Her favorite dude, however, had a level head, and instead of a bouquet, brought Salvation Oil. They went and were happy The proprietors of the Tarboro South

erner, Tarboro, S. C., write-"Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup goes so fast our druggists

can't keep supplied."

FROM WASHINGTON.

Red Tape in the Department of State-Representative Glover's Denial.

A Bill to Refund Income Taxes—Must Take Their Chances-Plans for the Submarine Cruiser.

Death of the Oldest Employe-Arrival of Mr. Blaine-Affairs at Samoa, Etc., Etc.-Congressional.

Red Tape in the State Department. WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Representative O'Ferrall, of Virginia, has prepared a resolution, which he expects to offer in the House, asking the reason for delays in the State Department in issuing the warrants in cases or pardoned offenders against the law. Mr. O'Ferrall is indig-

nant over the delay in the case of one of his constituents, David H. Martin, of Patrick County, Va., who is confined in fail for a trivial violation of the Internallan for a trivial violation of the internat-Revenue law. The prisoner is a crupile and in bad health. Moreover, his family are suffering during his confinement. Mr. O'Ferrall went to the President on De-O'Ferrall went to the President on December 21, and obtained Martin's pardon. He learned to his surprise on Wednesday that the pardon was lying unsent in the State Department. There was a delay of twelve days in forwarding the pardon of Ben Honkins of Cincinnati. It was for-Ben Hopking, of Cincinnati. It was forwarded Wednesday.

Representative Glover's Denial. WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Representative J.
M. Glover said vesterably, speaking about the publications of disagreements growing out of the settlement of the estate of his late mother-in-hay, Mrs. Patten, that he does not owe the Patten estate a dollar and that lar, and that noboly connected with the estate has ever claime | or intimated that he does, and that the -tory that Mrs. Patten had advanced him large sums for use

in the political canvass in Missouri, was a political canard, which never had and never will have a responsible author. A Bill to Refund Income Taxes. WASHINGTON, Jan. 1. -Senator Stowart introduced in the Senate yesterday a bill introduced in the Senate yesterday a bill authorizing the Sectedary of the Treasury to refund all income taxes which whom principles subsequently settled by decisions of the Septeme Court are shown to have been liberally and unconstitutionally collected and which have not here. ally collected, and which have not heretofore been refunded. The money is to be paid out by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, proceed application for a refund is much within two years from he passage of the act.

Must Take Their Chances

WASHINGTON, Jain. 1.—It leaked out last night that the House commuttee on rules at its meeting yesterday morning discussed other matters as well as the resolution reported. The question of asigning days to various projects, among signing days to various projects, among them the International Copyright bill and the Oklahoma bill, came up. The committee deemed it pradent not to assign days for the consideration of any given measure, but to allow them all to take their alternaus in the House without favor. their chances in the House without favor. To Examine the Plans for the Submerged Cruiser.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4. Secretary Whit-ney has appointed a heard of four naval officers to examine and report upon the merits of the other for subsecret officers to examine and report merits of the place for a submerged cruiser, submitted to the department several months ago by Representative Thomas. Commodora signatural Schley, Chief Constructor Wilson and Chief Engineer Molville are the members of the

Catifornia Indomnity Lands Confirmed WASHINGTON, Jul. 1. The Secretary of the Interior less recoved the decision of the Commissioner of the General Land Office, and sustained the validity of the omee, and sustained the validity of the selections made by the State of California as indomaity for school lands to compensate deficiencies in fractional townships, made so by reason of swamp land than defeat.

Death of the Oldest Employe in the Customs Service.

Washington, Jan 1.—The Treasury Department has been advised of the death of Mr. Heary O. Tifft, at Newport, R. I. He was the oldest employe in the customs become larger innounted over sixty.

service, having been appointed over sixty Arrival of Str. Blaine. WASHINGTON, Jan. I. Hor. James G. Blaine arrived here on the limited express yesterday afternoon accompanied by Representative Wis. Walter Phelps.

Affairs at Samoa. WASHINATOS, Jan. 4.—Correspondence recently received at the State Department in regard to the state of affairs, at Samos will be made public to-day.

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WASHINGTON, Jun 2.—The resolution of Mr. Voorhoes, calling of the Secretary of the Interior for a list of homestead, timber-culture and pre-emption entries, canceled after issue of mal receipt and certificate therefor during the present videoustration, was agreed to The Sacric creed to resolutions offered by Mr. Mitchell, a ling on the Secretaries of Was and Interior to meet of records relative to the service of a divers in Washington and Idaho Territories. At 12:30 p. in the sure resumed considers it of the Tariff his diversing question being the amendment which was discussed yes terday) to change (1. duty on cotton thread etc.) Mr. Vance care statistics showing that the

Mr. Vance case statistics showing that the increase of consumption of cotton in Southerr mills within the last twenty years was twice as great as the increase in Northern mills, and that without the and of protection in the South. At the close of Mr Vance's somewhat extended remarks a vole was taken on the proposition to make the rate of duty on cotton threads, yarn, warps, etc., valored at not exceeding twenty-five cents per pound, thirty-five percent, ad valorem instead of the cents per pound. The amendment was rejected by the usual party vote—yeas, 24; mays, 24.

The discussion of the linty on cotton thread however, was resumed on an amendment of fered by Mr Vest to make the duty on speof thread of cotton forty per cent as valorem in stead of seven cents per dozen spools.

During the dobate. Mr Vest quoted statements made before the Tariff Commission in 1882, and the ways are means committee in 1884, to show that thoy asked a less rate of protection in 1885 than they asked a less rate of protection in 1885 than they asked a less rate of protection in 1885 than they asked a less rate of protection in 1885 than they asked a less rate of protection in 1885 than they asked a less rate of protection in 1885 than they asked a less rate of protection in 1885 than they asked a less rate of protection in 1885 than they asked a less rate of protection with the more many large and whom Mr arrived had termed a political agitator.

Mr. McPherson a practical the duty of the first of of the fi

greature. Mr. McPherson e carneterized the duty of

spool rotton as a tax on labor. He read from the affidate of Mrs. E is a Strickland, a sewing woman it Atlantic County, N. J., showing that she would be a 2d for a Paladelphia firm (which he would be mane lest it might interfere with

THE promptness with which Ayer's Cherry Pectoral stops a hacking cough and lung trouble, and is the best remedy for wheeping cough.

For the New Year.

As has already been made known As has already been made known through the columns of the newspapers, the Decatur Musical College has passed into my hands, and now in beginning the into my hands, and now in beginning the row year. I beg to announce to the gencity.

Dawson Solv Coll.

Stove Wood; every kind of Stock Feed ever sold in this market; good teams—in fact it is complete, and a credit to our city. into my hands, and now in beginning the new year, I beg to announce to the general public that it is my aim to employ partments, thus assuring the public, whose liberal patronage has made this

P.O. Block, will be sold regardless of cost. The stock will be sold in sections. This week we commence on Overcoats. W is the time to V. BARBER, Proprietor. Terms strictly o

the construction of the new Cabinet, and that also could not make more than seventy-five nents in two days, while the manufacturer received the benefit of forty per cent, on such shirts as she made. By what process of reasoning, he asked, was a large duty imposed on the thread which the poor sewing woman was forced to huv.

-William Carroll, a well-to-do citizen of Bristol, R. I., was murdered for the money he was known to have in his pocket Tuesday orced to buy.

After some discussion the amendment was Several other amendments to paragraphs relating to cotton cloth were also reject -The President has signed the act granting to

discussion.

Mr. Pugh made an extended speech on the tan't question. He declared himself a protectionist in the sense of extending help and encouragement to American industry by putting duties on atticles on which there was for the manufacturer had no the Citrous Water Company right of way across the Papago Indian Reservation in Maricopa County, Ariz. recently burned out, have decided not to re sume business in that city, but will continu ting ditties on attories of the manufacturer had no right to ask nor had Congress the right to grant any more protection than would make up the difference between the cost of foreign and the cost of American labor. Taking up the question of race supremacy, Mr. Pugh said that white men must rule in all parts of the country. White men everywhere must rest assured that no allurements of office and no difference as to turiff laws could ever degrade the white people of the bouth to a recognition of negroequality. -It is reported that Lady Salisbury, wife of the British Premer, will present Mrs. Joseph Chamberlain to the Queen at the first drawing room of the season.

—Mims, More & Co., a firm of Richmond, Ark., has failed for shout \$159,950. More than \$150,000 of this is due to St. Louis merchants. Assets are not known. of emancipation from slavery began in Phila-delphia Wednesday, Many of those present were of the freed race.

At 5 p m the Senate adjourned.

The House to day concurred in the Senate amendment to the bill appropriating \$33,001 to enable the Secretary of War to issue to the Governor of Montons military stores for the use of the militis of that Territory

The Senate bill appropriating \$3,300 for the relief of Wan. R. Wheston, register, and Charles H. Chamberlain, excreener of the land office at San Francisco, was passed.

Mr. Reed (Me.) from the committee on rules, reported for immediate consideration a resolu-

Mr. Reed (Me.) Hold to consideration a resolu-reported for immediate consideration a resolu-tion to dispense with the call of States and Territories on the first and third Mondays of each month.

Mr. Reed demanded the previous question and refused to accede to the request of Mr. Anderson (Kap.) that two hours' debate be al-

On a call of the year and nays, on Mr. Reed' demand for the previous question, Mr. Randall voted against the other mainters of the com-There being no quorum shown on the call of the yeas and nays, a call of the House was or-

Mr. Reed refused to withdraw his resolution unless assured that there would be no fillbustering to morrow At 3.05 p m the House adjustmed without

The Brotherhood Committee Hopeful CBICAGO, Jan. 3.—The committee of the Brotherhood of Lacomotive Engineers, headed by Chairman Cavner, called at needed by Chairman Cavner, caned at the Chicago, Barliagton & Quincy offices at ten o'clock this morning as per agreement. They were met by Vice-President Stone and other "Q" officials. The "Q" officials asked for further time to consider the important question before them, and appointed three o'clock this afternoon as the hour of meeting. The proposition was accepted by the Brotherhood men and the committee adjourned until that hour.

journed until that hour.

The Brotherhood men are now more consider than ever that the "Q" will make the concessions asked for by the committee, and that the strike will be declared off.

The "Q" Dynamite Conspiracy Cases. CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—The cases of Thomas Broderick, John A. Bauereisen and Geo. Broderick, Joan A. Baheretsen and Geo. Goding, the Chicago, Barlington & Quincy dynamite conspirators, had a further airing yesterday before Judge Blodgett, of the Federal Court. The defense applied for and obtained a postponement o the trial, owing to Bauereisen's recent conviction at Aurora on a similar charge. the motion to quash the indictment was dso continued.

The Panic in Electric Sugar Refining Shares.

New York, Jan. 4.- The fall in Electric Sugar Refining Company shares on the London Stock Exchange yesterday caused much comment among sugar men in New York. The head office of the "Electric" now there are three analytes are out.

—Anarchist Hrenck, convicted of conspiring to assassinate inspector Bontield and Judges Cary and Grinnell, was Wodnesday refused a now trial and was sentenced to twelve years! imprisonment. A stay of sixty days was granting to built of aventure. is in Wall stroct. It is organized to utilize a secret process of refining by electricity, invented by the late Henry C. Friend. Treasurer Robertson and Secre ed to allow the filing of a bill of exceptions tary Cotterill of the company made the following statement: "There are some ed to allow the filing of a bill of exceptions.

—Nothing is known at Columbus, Miss., in regard to the alloged killing of four of the negriges implicated in the recent Wahnlak outrages, and the report is believed to be greatly exaggerated. A private letter received from Wahnlak on Tuesday reported every thing suist. things which have occurred to disturb us, but there are still several matters considered important, and which may have an important effect upon the future of the sugar husiness. These are being investisugar nustness. These are being investigated, and until the investigation is completed, we can say nothing further." It was hinted by outside dealers that some misrepresentation as to the process had been discovered, and that this led to the break in share values.

Small Pox Abroad. ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 4. - The State Board of Health has issued a circular to the local boards of health in the central part of the State stating that a case of small pox appeared in Syracuse in November, and that a pure large of the state appeared in Syracuse in November, and that a pure large of the state and that a number or persons were exposed to it before its detection, some of which developed in that city and two or three others in neighboring towns. It is believed that all precautions are taken to believed that all precautions are taken to hold in quarantine all these, and every suspicious case or person by any possi-bility exposed. The difficulty of securing timely information of every case in large cities is considerable, and there is always danger of its spreading from those to the adjoining town, expensibly. The circular adjoining towns especially. The circular concludes: "It is, therefore, important that you take notice of this fact, and that metals lead to the character of the control of

watch be kept for the chance of a case der veloping in your district. A Singular Suit. BALTIMORE, Md., Jan. 4.—Two years ago Ernest Fleishman, of New York, married the elder daughter of Albert Gottschalk, the elder daughter of Albert Gottschalk, a millionaire liquor dealer of this city. Shortly after the marriage Mr. Gottschalk took his son-in-law into his business, and allowed him seven and a half per cent of the profits, which amount to about \$110,000 a year. A year ago Fleishman brought suit against Mr. Gottschalk, claiming hat it was part of the inducement to him to marry Miss Gottschalk, that he was to be taken into the business of Mr. Gottschalk taken into the business of Mr. Gottschalk as a full partner, and that he was entitled to half the profits. Mr. Gottschalk denied that there was any inducement whatever.

Judge Stewart decided the case yesterday, holding that the plaintiff is only en

titled to seven and a half per cent. of the profits from the time he enter Gottschalk's office until he left it. entered Mr A Receiver Appointed. New York, Jan. 4.—A receiver was appointed yesterday for Henry Werner, wholesale dealer in dry hides. Mr. Werinaugurated yesterday noon before a join convention of the two houses of the Legislature. He occupied about thirty minutes ner had been in business twenty-five years, and at one time was one of the largest dealers in the "swamp." His present habilities are reported as \$300,000 and assets (250,000, in hides, He

branches in Germany and France, and most of the creditors reside in those countries. Asylgned.

La Crosse. Wis., Jan. 4.—R. L. Reynolds, the large-Leontractor in this city, made an assi n'n u' Wednesday. Liabilities are to a to the \$35,000; assets, \$15,000. Mr. Re. a da has just completed a new theater at a cost of \$35,000.

WHAT THE EDITOR SAW. The largest and most complete Feed and Fuel store in the State, V. H. Parke & Son, proprietors. They carry everything in the Feed and Fuel line, and the quality is the best. They carry Hard Coal, all sizes; Block Coal, Cannel Coal, Blossburg, and the now justly celebrated Dawson Soft Coal; Cord Wood, Chunks, city

A Card. In assuming the directorship of the

Decatur Musical College, I am pleased to announce that there will be no change in college a success, of good results for the future.

Jan 1-dtf

Closing Sale.

Owing to a contemplated change the large stock of Clothing, Furnishing Goods, etc., at John Irwin's White Front, P. O. Block, will be sold regardless of the college, and patronize it as liberally interested in the continued success of the college, and patronize it as liberally as heretofore. Pupils will be received at any time. For full information call at the college, corner Main and William streets, or address Olof Bull, Decatur, 1994-17

...The Richardson Drug Company, of St. Louis,

The celebration of the first quarter century

were of the freed race.

-Yesterday Judge Blodgett, of Chicago, sentended Oberkampf to five years in the pentientiary, and Mack to three years. They were convicted of robbing mail boxes.

-The warrant for the pardon of Hopkins was mailed to the warden of the Oho pentientiary at Columbus Wednesday. Accompanying it was an order for Hopkins' immediate release.

-The Australian system of voting went into

effect in Massachusetts with the opening of the year, and the authorities of that State have

equests from all over the country for copies o

-The Americans awarded Legion of Hono.

-P. J. E. Clementson, a boot and shoe deal-

er of Minneapolis, Minn., made an assignment, Wednesday, to A. C. Haughan, cashier of the Senndia Bank. The asset, are 894,533, and ha-

-An auditing of the accounts of J. C. Leigh-

out the town of Springer and easted own officers from their own ranks. They have resolved to hold the town against all opposition.

put it out without sending in an alarm

next Monday, it being the first instance where

ist.

-On Monday night has theer Lank and safe burglars, who had lately been operating in the similit towns of Northern New York and Vermont, boarded a Vermont Central train neas Stanbridge station, Can'the Canadian officers who were on their track not on the train at his heat station and attempted to arrest them, but the thieves held them at bay with their revolvers, and hashly excaped to the woods.

The wanter pressure of Philadelphia as a

volvers, and maily excepted to the woods.

—The waning prest pe of Philadelphia as a grain center is flustrated by the following statement. The receipts of wheat for the year 1888 were 2,555,600 bushels, against 9,270,801 bushels the previous year. The exports were 1,371,60 bushels, against 8,371,606 bushels during 1881. The receipts of the previous per 3,555,800 bushels, against 4,035,000 in

Boston, Jan. 4.—Governor Ames was

Went Aground.

Filed Certificate of Incorporation.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 3 .- The American

Steel Barge Company yesterday filed s

ertificate of incorporation. The capital

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stock is \$500,000.

decorations at Paris are Messrs. Scribner, o the Agricultural Department at Washington Munon, a vine-grower of Texas; and Josepher, o

M TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

-A rumor is in circulation in New York that Phil Daly is insance and has been taken to a private asylum in Philadelphia. Private asyrum in Fanadelphia.

Falcarragh, County Donegal, Ireland, where
the evictions are taking place, was quiet yesterday. Five tenants have been evicted.

DESERVED PUNISHMENT.

Consul Astwood Removed from the

United States Consulate at San Domingo.

His Disgraceful Proposition in Connection with the Bones of Columbus Bears Fruit.

New York, Jan. 4.—The American pub lic occasionally gets news of the doings of its own Government by very round-The search is again in progress to-day. about ways. This time the information comes from San Domingo. It is a month since the news was received there. It since the news was received there. It gets here by the steamer George W. Clyde, and is to the effect that H. C. Ast-wood, Consul-General at San Domingo, has been removed. No cause for the re-moval is mentioned in the Government reports to the representatives of San Doreports to the representatives of San Do-mingo in this city. The trouble, however, was in an exploit of Consul Astwood some was in an export of Consul Asswood some six months ago. A man by the name of H. M. Linell arrived in San Domingo about that time and made inquiries about the burial place of Christopher Columbus. He introduced himself to the prominen people of the Republic as a man of wealth and represented that his interest in the remains of the immortal discoverer of this continent was purely historical. He made himself solid with Consul Astwood, was an order for Hopkins' immediate release.

-- A panie occurred yesterday on the Liverpool Exchange in "Fleetric Sugar" shares, owing to a cablegram reporting a damaging discovery in the process. The shares fell from and finally proposed a scheme to the con-sul which resulted in the sending of this To Senor Figuero, Minister of the Interior, Sc

To Senor Figuers, Minister of the Interior, Suit Domingo:
Your Excellency—Mr. H. M. Linet, acity on the United States of America, has requested me in my capacity as United States Consul to ask the Dominican Government whether the bones of the immortal Christopher Columbus, the discoverer of America, and a permit for the exhibition of them could be obtained for the Covernment? The interest which the people in America take in their history is so intense that the presence of Columbus' remains in the larger cities would create enough curiosity to swell the receipts of the Tresaury of the Dominican Republic to a degree unprecedented in its history.

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Mr. Linell bers to submit the following offer: He guarantees to defray all the expenses
for the transportation of the bones, a guard of
eight soldners and four priests. He guarantees
to defray all the expenses which should arise
during the tour of these persons in the United
States, and also their salaries. He guarantees
to remit fifty per ceut, of the net receipts to the
Dominican Government in quarterly payments,
and guarantees that they should not amount of
less than two bundred thousand dollars a year.
He guarantees the safe return of the bones after a time of not less than four years. Mr.
Linell desires that the church and government
authorities state publicly that these are the
genuine bones of Columbus, and that the exhibition of them shall be permitted for this trip
only. In submitting this offer to Your Excelency, I want to direct Your Excelency's attention to the importance of this offer and its
urgency. Yours respectfully.

H. C. Astwood,
United States Consul. —Ad additing of the accounts of J. C. Leighton, who was for twenty years clerk of the municipal court of Boston, develops a shortage which will probably reach \$200,000. His term of service expired two years ago.

—The extensive foundry of the Reading (Pa.). Foundry Company, where large from pine for gas and water mains for many of the larger cities is made, has closed down indefinitely, throwing 150 men out of employment.

—A letter from the Okishoms territory -A letter from the Oklahoma territory states that five thousand "boomers" have laid out the town of Springer and elected town woived to hold the town against all opposition.

—The Secretary of State has received a dispatch from the United States Consul at Puerto Plata, dated December 13, saying that the revolution in the northern part of San Domings had been suppressed, and that many of the participants had been arrested.

—The Journal As S. Paterson

ticipants had been arrested.

The Journal de St. Patersoourg says that every nation in Europe sincerely hopes that the coming year will verify the favorable auguries of King Humbert and Herr Von Tisza, the Hungarian Prime Multer, who predicted in recent speeches peace for 1890.

At a dinner narty given by Mr. Chaplan Will. Signor Figuero courteously declined the proposition. It was done in the formai language of diplomacy, and conveyed no reproach. The Dominican pubin recent speeches peace for 1889.

—At a dinner party given by Mr. Charles Wilson, north of Creaton. Ia., on New Year's Day, his family and nine guests were poisoned by partaking of meat saited in a vessel of zinc. All are recovering except Mis. Thomas K. Wilson, who is in a dangerous condition.

—The large dry-house of the Royer Wheel Company of Cincinnati was burned early yesterday moraing. Loss, between \$15,000 and lic and newspapers were not so considlic and newspapers were not so considerate. They declared that the proposition to make the bones of Columbus a public exhibition for private gain was disgraceful. If made by private persons disgracerd. It made by private persons it might be overlooked, but when presented officially by the representative of a government of a country like the Company of Chemnati was butters early settled morning. Loss, between \$15,000 and \$29,000; insured The watchman discovered the fire in its incipiency, and foolishly tried to United States it was outrageous. and public called for the removal of Consul Astwood, and in no mild language either. It was openly declared that the position of the United States Consul was put it out without sending in an alarm.

Nearly all the coal-dork laborers at Daluth and West Superior, Minu., have struck against a reduction from \$2 to \$1.75 per day. Monday a few struck and their wages were restored, but later another reduction was attempted, and now there are three hundred men out.

Anarchist Hennek consisted at conscience a public scandal. The news of the removel of Consul Astwood by the Washington authorities is regarded by the Dominican authorities here us the result of this affair. It is regarded favorably, too, and, in fact, it is the only action that the American Government could take.

United States Consul

Death of a Well-Known Theater Manager Death of a Web Andwa Insect in Adda of Detroit, Mich., Jan. 3.—Chas. O. White, manager of White's Grand Opera-House, of this city, and one of the best-known theatrical managers of the country, died that the country of the country of the country of the country. here early this morning of peritonities The wife of George Mowery, an alleged "moonshiner" of Gilmer County, W. Va., who is an excelent rifle shot, kept u United States harshal and his poses at they in front of the house a few days ago for an hoar white her husband made good his escape at the back choor. hard work, helped to bring Detroit out of the line of poor theatrical cities. He was a native of Alexandria, Va., where he will e buried.

A Faulty Gas Cock Costs a Valuable Life. San Francisco, Jan. 4.-W. A. Taulor, traveling auditor for the Southern Pacific road, lost his life Tuesday night through the faulty construction of the gas fixtures in his room. The cock turned clear around, and when Taylor supposed he turned the gas off he really let it on full -There is great interest taken in the mayor-alty election at Windsor, Ont., which occurs head. He was thirty-six years of age, and next Monday, it being the first instance where the question of annex it on with the United States is made an open is us. Solomon White, ex-member of Purifament, goes before the peo-ple as a candidate for mayor, as an annexation. a railroad man of much promise. He came from Canada.

Pulp Mill Surned. St. Catherines, Ont., Jan. 3, The Lincoln pulp mill, a large frame structure in which was made the courser grades paper in connection with the Lincoln Papaper in connection with the Lincoln Pa-per Mills of Merritt, Ont., was destroyed by fire this morathe. John Boyle, who was asleep on a fine hing table, lost his life. His charred rear this were found in the ruins. Loss, about \$30,000; insurage \$10,000.

Glass Blowers' Meeting Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 4.—The National Window-glass Manu ceturers' Association will meet at Was sugton next Tues-day. On Wednesda, the green bottle 807,164 bushels fluring 1487. The receipts of corn were 2,550,600 bushels, against 4,083,000 is day. On Wednesday, the green-bottle manufacturers meet, and on Thursday 1887, and the exports \$17,109 bushels, against 4,082,288,288 bushels the previous year. The receipts of oats forcessed from 3,915,200 bushels in 1887 to 4,662,750 bushels in 1888.

tariff committee. Btates commission for the investigation of the hog cholera concluded their laboration Baltimore yesterday and left for South Carolina. At a future day they will again visit this city and conduct researches in the pathological laboratory of Johas Hopkins University. They will also visit Lincoln, Neb., and compare notes with Dr. Billings who has studied the question. he also has a son residing at Paterson N. J. Inauguration of Governor Ames of Mas-

Will Go Up Again. TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 4.—Carl Olbe, noted criminal, was arrested here yester day for committing a large number o burglaries in this city, and has confessed his guilt. He was r cused from State prison on November 8, having served a term of four years for burglary and grand

Ment Aground.

Baltimone, Md., Jan. 4.—The steamship
Lord Lansdowne, which sailed for Belfast
yesterday, went aground off Sparrows'
Point in the Chesapeake. She will have
to be lightened of a part of her cargo. larceny. Starting Up at an Advance. ASHLAND, Pa., Jan. 4.—The collieries of the Philadelphia & Reading Coal and Iron Company in this vicinity are resuming after a suspension of several weeks. The Merriam and Bast collieries were the first to start up. The rate of wages has been fixed at three per cent. above the \$2.50

> WILL START Saturday Morning, Dec. 29, A Cheap Cleaning-Up Sale.

Odds and Ends, Short Pieces, Single Pairs of Hosiery, Gloves, Mittens, etc. At Prices that will make them go quick

Trimmed Hats, worth \$1.75 to \$2.50, at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50. Hats worth \$2.50 to \$3.50, reduced to \$1.75 and \$2.25. Pattern Hats at 50c on the dollars. \$2.25. Pattern Hats at 50c on the dollar. Untrimmed Hats, worth \$1.00 to \$1.25, cut to 50c. French Felt Hats, worth \$1.75 to \$2.50, reduced to \$1.00 and \$1.25.

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them go. Special Hosiery Sale every Saturday Evening. You can save big money by attending these sales.

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He Was Tired of Life. Wednesday afternoon there was a note found on the bank of the south fork of the Sangamon river, near Taylorville, signed by George B. McCullon, saying he was tired of living the worthless life he had lived for many years and was going to commit suicide by drowning himself. He wished his body buried in Taylorville, as it was the last place he had ever seen. His clothes were also found, containing twelve cents in money. A searching party went out Thursday afternoon and made several unsuccessful drags but the body could not be found.

Wednesday evening of next week comes the Leavitt Folly and Burlesque Company in "Monte Cristo, Jr." and it will fill the hall. The N. Y. Sun said: Pretty girls, elever comedians, wonderful specialty performers, bright music and elegant costumes, unite Leavitt's Folly and Burlesque Company one of the most complete and attractive troup a seen in this country in many sensons All the people were personally engaged by Mr. Leavitt during a recent and extended trip to Europe. e.got the best that was to be had and scoured I ordon, Paris, Berlin, Vienna and other large cities in order to get something new and novel for this country. How wall he has sucfor this country. How well he has suc-ceeded can be best judged by a personal

It Will Fill the Hall.

visit to the show. White Caps or Jokors? WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., Jan. 4.—The Sevmth Division of Pennsylvania White Caps has been organized and established in the vicinity of Lockhaven, and several gentleman of the city have received warning notices. One gentleman says that he has received two of them—the second one informing him that a visit from the band might be agreeded as a visit from the band might be expected at any time. He is not terrorized, however, by the warnings, and will give them a warm reception when they come. The probability is that the warning notices are the work of practical jokers, and that there are no White Caps n this section.

Diabolical Attempt of Train Wreckers Diabolical Attempt of Train wisconsisted READING, Pa., Jan. i. -A quantity of dynamite was exploded on the track of the Philadelphia & Reading railroad at Mahoney Plane, Wednesday night. Four dwellings were partly wrecked and the town was badly shaken up. The rails were torn up for a distance of twenty that the rails were torn up for a distance of twenty. were form up for a distance of twinity feet, and an accident was barely averted to a fast freight train. The explosive is supposed to have been placed on the tracks by train wreckers. No one was in-

Thrashed an Editor. CHICAGO, Jan. 4 .- A Tribune special CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—A From April 1970 of the from Cedar Rapids, la., says: Chas. Duxbury, traveling passenger agent for the Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northera road, threshed Gene Hunt, editor of the research agency of the research agency of the research agency of the control of the research agency of the research agency of the control of the research agency of the control of the research agency of the control Gossip, Wednesday, for an article re-cently published by the latter reflecting upon his character. Daxbury had carrie horsewhip about for three days, but finding Hunt Wednesday for the first time and not having the whip, used his fists et-

Twas the Result of a Quanrel, Twas the Result of a Quarrel,
CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—It transpired in court
yesterday that the assignment of Mende!
& Wolff, wholesale dry goods, announced
Wednesday, was the result of a partnership quarril. The assets largely oxceed the
liabilities, and it will likely be arranged
that the assignment be variated, and that
Mr. Wolff will assume all liabilities and
continue the husiness plone. continue the business alone. A Receiver Asked For

NASHVILLE, Tenu., Jan. 4.—The Stone-fort Paper Company filed a bill in the Chancery Court yesterday asking for the appointment of a receiver for the Daily American New-paper Company, and thave the same wound up as insolven and to collect a judgment recently obtained for about \$18,000.

A Card.

Those intending to take private lessons in either Voice Culture or Elecution after the holidays should see me and arrange their lesson hours as soon as possible, as my time will soon be all oc-Observe, 20 lessons, 40 minutes cupied. Observe, 20 lessons, 40 minutes each, \$10.00, for this season only. Also pupils joining my classes in chorus singing, sight singing or elecution will receive a proper discount for the number of lessons already taught. See "Bargain Column" for hours of meeting.

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WANTED-Position as hotel clerk. Have had experience, fornish No. 1 references a willing to work on small salary. B. E. jan4-d6 WANTED-Position at general work, farm preferred, by an industrious, sober man; bost of references. F. W. jan4-de

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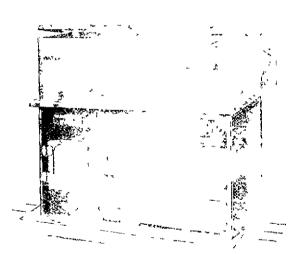
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EVERY ONE who in design est on Opera Cilasses buys There was a largely attended social the "Lemine We are selling them now as low as non-last night man last night others vant for Veide is other cheaper makes. TRY Exercise goes at the Closing Sale THE CALANDA and so if you can all a "Canary bird, at John Irwin & Whate Front 31-d6w1 from itu kex gobb'er with the other makes. If they were sales before a would be handling then along open day and night in Guards Armors with everything electric seattleabile.

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LOCAL NEWS.

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It now looks as though we are going to have some weather-real plun winter

I NOTE JESSE HARPER is announced t deliver an address to the Umon Labor representatives on January 9th Ing regular monthly meeting of the

Woman's Club will be held Saturday dternoon at 2 o'clock, January 5th THERE was a gay dance in the Light Guard band hall last night, largely at

tended by colored society

Take the children to see the fancy-bred poultry at the chicken show. It will be until January 10th

La et in Bread at frwin's DEDICATION of Knights of Pythias

Ing Poultry Club show is in progress in Guards Armory Open afternoon

A KICKING horse damaged Edgar Alexinder - buggy last night Nobody hurt, Mrs Alexander escaping without injury, only clittle frightened

A the line of family groceries and California fruits at Miedermeyer's store JUSTICE CURTIS fined Thomas Gleason \$10 and costs for violating the city ordinance at the Union depot with reference o getting too far away from his rig in column business The trial cost Glea

Drys with Johnson & Spence, Merhant street grocers Prompt attention The two popular brands of tiour are

White Loaf and Daily Bread The new eight factory of Shorb &

eak in the Gallagher Block, is a mode. establishment The firm begins business under favorable citcumstances and is rushed to fill orders ALWAYS In demand—the celebrated

Hatfield & Co., White Foam and Domes

Tar session of the Executive Board the Illinois Sabbath School Association of the Christian Church terminated at the Christian Church last evening - th program for the state S S, convention to be held at Jacksonville May 21 to 23, was arranged The members of the committee present were President T W Pinkerton Vice president W W. Weeden, of Taylorville Corresponding secretary and treasurer J H Gilliland, of Bloomington, & M Good of Normal and Evangelist K. P Taylor

DANDRULE eradicated the scalp made clean, and gray hair restored to its original youthful beauty and vigor by the use of Hall's 1 getable Surlian Hav

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The State Miners

In his report at the convention of Hilinois coal miners at Bloomington yesterday President Dan McLaughlin laid out plans which he arged the local associations to adopt and follow. They were hest, to use influence with state legislators to have semi-monthly pay days, secondly a regulation to abolish the screen system thirdly to have the mining laws amended and a bester system of enforcement fourthly, to keep up the joint

meetings between employers and miners or the setting of prices, fifthly to try work intelligently to bring about eight hours a day in coal mines by the first day of May 1889 the day set by the American Tederation of Labor, and sixthly to report with regard to the truck system, which undermines the miner's manhood and self rehance. The report of the auditors show the receipts for the the expenditures amount to \$4,385.17, leaving a balance on hand of \$234.27

WHEN the blood is impure, thick and sluggish or thin and impoverished, there can be no health. With these conditions, and the result is a variety of dangerous complications The best remedy is Aver's Sarsaparilla.

OPERA GLASSES. Special Sale this week, At DR. HUBBELL'S. Dec 3-d1m

THE RACE RECEPTION.

The S. S. Institute. Knox P. Taylor, of Bloomington, the Sunday school evangelist of the Chris-Brilliant Party in Honor of Miss Taylor—The Toilets and Guests.

tian denomination, began a very interest ing and profitable Sabbath School Institute for teachers and pupils at the Christian church last night, with a large at-Amid every evidence of comfort and tendance of members of the church charming surroundings last night at the school and friends. Mr. Taylor has been home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Race, their engaged in his chosen work nine successaccomplished daughter, Miss Elia Race, ive years, his labors not being confined gave a brilliant reception after 8 30 wholly to the Christian schools, but also and welcome callers. There is an unclock in honor of her guest, Miss Lillian to those of other denominations. Since Taylor, of Lafayette, Ind. It was a full the last state convention he has visited dress dancing party of about sixty guests, 40 counties, and in every locality by his the brightly illuminated parlors being enthusiasm and practical suggestions he completely filled until three o'clock this has awakened renewed interest in the morning. Here and there upon the mantels and in tete-a-tete alcoves were fragrant flowers and beautiful ferns, these Sunday night. Last evening the exertropical decorations adding to the beauty cises opened with singing "Wonderful of the parlors Upon the carpets was Words of Lafe," led by J. E. Patterson, stretched white curves, and in the hall peneath the broad stancase the Opera Pealm and prayer by Rev. Pinkerton; House orchestra dispensed the inspirasinging, "Coronation." Evangelist Tay tion for the dances. The numbers were lor, who is a remarkably well-preserved in the following order Waltz, Esmer dda, anciers, Wiltz, Newport, York, Waitz, by the pastor. He addressed himself Waltz, Galop Waltz, Lancers, Waltz, chiefly to the children in discussing the Waltz, Lanciers, Waltz, Esmeralda, Waltz topic, "Manners and Customs of the Larmers Good-by Waltz It was one of People of Bible Times," a subject which the mot fashionable parties of the seagave scope for many practical thoughts son and was manifestly thoroughly enloyed by all the favored guests. Attentve colored waiters in full dress attended the company and served delicious beverage from the large lemonade bowl in the library Superb refreshments were pro vided in abundance during the evening They embraced French drip coffee of . superior quality, substantials and all ob-

her home on West Wood street, in the 75th year of her age She was stricken with paralysis a few days ago, and since that affliction her condition has been very entical. She was one of the early residents of Decatur, and was the mother of Wayne Downing, Wm. T Downing, Harvey W. Downing and George W. Downing The time of the funeral will be announced to-morrow.

In Honor of Miss Maie Kimball. A delightful afternoon reception was given yesterday at the home of Miss Mume Freeman, on North College street, in honor of her accomplished guest, Miss Maie Kimball, of Springfield. The thon in the spring, sidewalks will be conweather was period in temperature and structed and the place take on a city-like sunshine, and quite a large number of appearance. Now is a good time to buy See advertisement. ladies called to pay their respects and enjoy the lavish hospitality of the Freeman family The curtains were drawn, the decorated parlors being brightened by cas light Guests were ushered into the parlor by Mrs O. F. Spaulding, assisted by Ada Hames, where all were received by Miss Freeman, Miss Kimball, Miss Florence Adams and Miss Ada Boyd, Miss Kimball was attred in Nile green, Miss Kimball was attred in Nile green, pink surah trimmings, Miss Freeman, garnet Princess costume, black jet, diamonds; Miss Boyd light green silk, white trimmings, Miss Adams, black silk and jet. Delicious refreshments silk and jet. Delicious refreshments were served in the dining hall, served by Mrs James Freeman, assisted by Mrs. John Freeman, Mrs Dimock and Mrs. A. J Roe, and each guest was presented with a colored bell tied with silk ribbons

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The souvenirs of the delightful iff in were very prettily embossed dincing cards ornamented with pink and red rib bons with tassels to match

What It Costs. Exciting Fox-Hunt The Decatur Fox-Hunters' Club had

The Citizens' Street Car Co to day paid Dempsey & Giblin, for paving a grand fox-chase yesterday For some little less than four blocks on Last I ldoame a large number of loves have been rado street, \$1586.80. This was the net seen in the Sangamon river bottom, about amount after allowing all discounts, and four miles sonthwest of Decatur, and the makes, with the amount paid for North following members of the club repaired Water street, over \$5000 paid by the to that locality early in the morning John Wiegand, L. Fleury, Thomas Lemasters, Wenzel Steinbach, Jos. Foster, with him flow leading and productions. company this year for paving Inybody who thinks that the Citizens comp ny is not paying a good sum for the privilege with his fine-bred pack of native forof laying their truks should think of of laying their traks should think of David Sturges Mr Sturges had with him his large pack of 19 imported hounds

Rev Sissov preached to a large audi-ence last right at Stapp's Chapel on the 'Office of the Holy Spirit His earnest their howing. One of the foxes was words produced a deep impression and cave but the other was rim down and words produced a deep impression and at the close of the sermon two persons arose for prayer. The members of the church gathered about the ultar and one church gathered about the ultar and one of the river is believed to contain hunperson presented herself as a seeker The service closed with a very spirited testimony meeting. Son service again tonight at 7 and preaching again at 7 30

MISS IDA REENE entertained a number of friends in a very delightful manner last evening at the home of Mr and Mrs K Harwood The company included Misses Howes, Bachman Ditzler, Weigand, Gaebler, Morriss and Lottie Stare, Mesers Walter, Frank Williams, Otto Mueller, Will Bachman, F W. Westhoff, Will Ditzler, Will Lewis and James Stumpf. Cards, music a solo by Prof. Walter and refreshments engaged attention It was a charming evening

Still Fighting.

Services at the American Salvation Army hall will continue as usual. Mrs. Col Thompson, who goes to Champaign for a rest of two weeks, leaves cadets in charge to hold the Decatur fort and fight against the onslaughts of sin.

AFTER the dedication of Chevalie. Bayard castle hall in the Library Block this evening at 7 30 o'clock, the special exercises, including the addresses and nusic, will be given at the opera house, beginning at 8 o'clock. Those holding invitations are urged to attend the dedcation ceremonies. All are welcome at the opera house.

THE Christmas eve entertainment, at the Presbyteman church at Monticello was repeated New Year's night to a large audience A change of program was made. The young Misses Harwood and Miss Nelson pleased their hearers with violin and guitar selections, all the more remarkable for the tender years of the performers. They reside in Decatur.

—Monticello Independent.

Those superb Packard organs and model pianos are on sale at C. B Pres cott's music parlor. Corsets

THE CHICKEN SHOW.

Opens with a Big Display of Pretty Poultry-Open Day and Night.

The annual exhibition of the Macon County Club began in Guards' Armory to-day under the most auspicious circumstances, the officers of the association being in attendance to receive the birds usually large number of entries, not only from various breeders in the city and county, but also from distant points. B. N. Pierce, the expert judge from Indianapolis, will mark the chicks. He will be study of the Bible. The institute will kept busy several days. The exhibitors rebe held each afternoon and evening until gard Pierce as the best judge of the points of a fowl in the country. This forenoon President Seger, Secretary Simpson and Assistant Will Wise were followed by reading a part of the 119th active in receiving entries and placing the coops in position. Doors open every day and night until Jan. 10 until 10 o'clock. Admission 20 cents, children man past 50 years of age, was presented | 10 cents. The Armory is well lighted and splendidly ventilated. Breeders from a distance making ex-

hibits of finely bred fowls are N. C. Westterfield, Barry, Ill., L. S. Carter, Hammond, K. B. Moorehouse, Urbana, Geo. brought home by maps and pictures B. Hall, Barry; J. L. English, Bloomingwith which the evangelist is well pro- ton; Houser Brooder Co., East St Louis vided The talk was one of great profit, C. H. Andrews, Buckley, C. J. Hall not only to the children but to all teach. Bethany, R. E. Henshie, Hillsboro, J. not only to the children but to all teachers present. The Sabb ith school workers should give Evangelist Taylor a liberal hearing. It will do them good.

Death of Mrs. Downing.

Grandma Downing, check to the late Thomas Downing, died this afternoon at the late Thomas Downing, which is a street in the late of the late

Don't fail to attend the show. The officers will take pleasure in showing you the handsome collection. The chief accomplished linguist, and can expaniat on the good points of a chick in severa

East Park Boulevards. The success which has attended Mr. J M. Clokey's efforts, in putting his addi tion, East Park Boulevards, upon the market, is little less than phenomenal 28 good houses have been erected on this addition, all but two of them completed addition, all but two or them completed and occupied, and this at a season of the year that is not considered the best for building operations. A good many more houses will go up on this splendid addi-

Got 8500.

Mr. Charles Jeffrey was married a Chnton yesterday to Miss Lulu McGraw, at the residence of the bride's father Captain Lee McGraw. Nearly 150 guests were present Many costly presents were received, among them a sack of gold worth \$500 from Aurelina Jeffrey, the father of the groom

Choir Rehearsal.

The chorus choir under the direction of Prof Westhoff will meet at the Baptist church this evening at 7.30 All the members and their friends are earnestly requested to be present, as this is the first and only rehearsal the choir can have before the meetings begin. The hymn books for the choir may be had by calling at Saxton's book store.

Sales of Real Estate. James H. Constant to Catherine Royer

lot 6, block 1 and lot 6, in block 2, John Imboden's addition—\$2200 Silas W Grosh to George W Jacobsen

lots 6 and 7, block 5, Deha Abhott's addition to Niantic, \$130. son, quit claim to 215 acres in 14, 14, 2, \$200. David J. Atteberry to Amanda H. Wil-

John Zeller to Joseph Mills, lot 2, block 4, Durfee & King's addition, \$1055. C H Brown to C S Hankins, lot 10, block 1, Brown's addition, \$200. mission to G. G. Rite teres in 4, 16, 3, Long Creek, \$120

PERSONAL MENTION.

Ellaworth Taylor is now doing extra telegraph service for the Wabash. John Freeman, 1r., has been elected a member of the Decatur Club.

Mr and Mrs Bert Merriweather visited St Louis yesterday, returning last night Knox P Taylor and daughter, Miss Nanne, are guests of Jesse Leforgee and

Mrs. Wm Dodson and daughter, Miss Daisy, returned list night from their visit in Chicago

Judge Vail, Commissioner Rogers and James Millikin returned from Chicago George L Walker, of Kushville, IR is visiting his sister, Mrs F. L. Steven

son and attending the clucken show. berra," was in the city yesterday. The great play will be produced on the evening of the 10th. D T. Forest, advance agent for "Si

will leave for Springfield on Monday to be present at the opening of the legisdreds of toxes, and the cinb propose to plow away the rocks with dynamite when the hounds will be let loose and the lature on Wednesday

Miss Lidd Thompson, a charming young lady of Tuscola, will leave for her home to-night, after a delightful visit with her accomplished friend, Miss Frances Ehrman

Prof. J.N Wilkinson, formerly principal of our High School and now a teacher in the Normal School at Emporia, has just been elected president of the Kansas State Teachers' Association. Mrs. George R. Dodson, of Spokan-

Falls, W T, who has been having a severe attack of typhoid fever, is convalescent. At one time during her illness the three attending physicians thought ahe could not recover.

Samuel P Cox, manager of the Frank Daniels "Little Pick" Company, was in the city to-day arranging for the appearance of the company here a week from to-night, Jan 11th Frank Daniels, the original Old Sport in "Rag Baby," has hundreds of admirers in Decatur who will be pleased to learn that he is to appear here again. The new song, "Razzle here again. The new song, "Razzie Dazzle," with chorus, will be given by the company. Mr. Daniel copy of this famous song. Mr. Daniels owns the per

In Wheatland township, on January 3, of train fever, Gertie, daughter of Mi and Mrs famuel McCurley, agod 4 years The burnal took place to-day at Mt Gilcad

Chicago Grain Market. The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1.15 p. m. to-day, reperved by G. C. Caldwell, Secretary Dece tur Grain Co. WHEAT-994 Jan, 101 Feb, 101% Mar, 104% May.

Conn—33¼ Jan; 34¼ Feb; 34% Mar 60% May. Oars-24% Jan, 24% Feb; 26% Mar, 17% May. PORK-\$12.90 Jan; 13.00 Feb, \$13.20 May. Laro-\$7.37 Jan, \$7.45 Feb; \$7.52

May. Rree-\$6.67 Jan; \$6.75 Feb; \$6.95 May.

Lave Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs
17,000; prospects steady.

Cattle, 6,000; prospects strong.

Car Lots—Wheat: Winter, 11; Spring,

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No House in the United States, similarly located, as regards population, can equal the sales this year of

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Their stock was large, well selected in great variety; bought for cash of first hands, sold CHEAP and everybody is satisfied.

Now Until the 1st of February, '89, WE WILL GIVE EXTRA BARGAINS

Winter Goods, of Every Description,

AND ESPECIALLY SO IN

CLOAKS, SHAWLS, DRESS GOODS, FLANNELS, BLANKETS, HOSIERY,

GLOVES, UNDERWEAR ---- AND----

Inasmuch as we have not time during the busy season to give special attention to our Linen Department, we will during the month of January, '89, offer UNUSUAL BARGAINS in

TABLE LINENS, NAPKINS, TOWELS AND TOWELINGS.

And will Close Out our

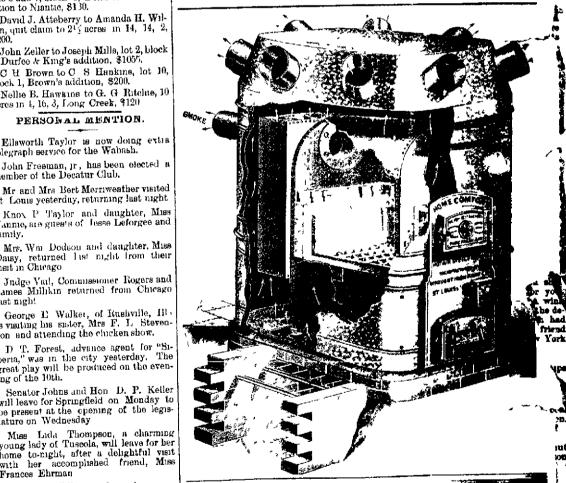
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Those in quest of BARGAINS need not wait until January, as the Cut in Prices will begin NOW.

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"HOME COMFORT" FURNACES.



Wrought Steel. Malleable Iron, No Leaky Joints. Yery Little Fuel, No one can say that the time was not ripe for

a new furnace. The days of brittle, porous, cast iron furnaces are numbered. In every branch of manufacture cast iron is being driven out by wrought iron and steel. Every bridge that goes down in a wreck of lives and property is found to have cast iron members. Every bursting cannon which slays its friends rather than its enemies is made of cast iron. Every leaky furnace which poisons a household with its noisome gases is found to be made of the same cheap, unreliable material. Improved methods of manufacture have made steel and iron plate, of first quality, less expensive than cast iron formerly was, and it is plainly in accord with progress in other directions that there should be progress both in design and

the material of furnaces for warming our homes, churches and schools.

**MOREHOUSE, WELLS & CO.

A Conquest. Prof Olof Bull, director of the Musical College, was the star performer at the reception and musical recital at the Con-

servatory, Springfield, last night The accompanist was Miss Rose Eversole. Speaking of the Professor's effort the State Journal says Mr. Bull was equally happy, playing he "Nocturne," arranged from Chopin,

the "Nocturne," arranged from Chopin, with a deheacy of bowing which admirers of Otto Soldan at once compared favorably with the work of that favorite violiniat. Mr. Bull's selection from Pagnaniwas very ingeniously and skillfully played upon the "G' string alone, and called forth a storm of Land clapping, winch recalled him to play that most excapitately hawildering of moonlight reve nes, Schubert's Serenade. "Boy Tramp."

slaughter will be great. The old saying that it takes two gallons of whisky to

eatch one for is a mi-nomer so far as the

Decatur I'ox Hunters' club is concerned

the club has voted that no intoxicating driple shall be allowed on the hunt Sev-

eral excellent shots were made yesterday

Mr Stembach killing three squirrels at one shot with his new breech-loading \$200 gun He also put three shot into a

2 inch target at a distance of 150 yards Other fine shots were made and almost a

wagon load of squirrels and other game

was the result. There are man promising young pups among the different pucks of hounds, and the club will proba-

bly put a few on sale early in the spring

The above great play will be produced at the opera house to-morrow night with a wealth of special scenery at popular prices. The eastern press said

"The Boy Tramp" is one of the most sensational of a kind which has found much favor of late years, and it is much hetter than a great many of its class

Augustin Neuville as "The Boy Tramp" and Mme. Reuville as the "Maniso Mother draw out the emotional side of an audience in a manner seldom surpassed by the theatrical stars of the Na-

tional Theatre.—Philadelphia Press.

LINE & SCHUGGS

smitten valley.
It is a strange thing to see those waves, not dancing along and sparkling in the sun as other waves do, but moving with measured melancholy, and sending to the ear, as they break languidly upon the rock, only deleful sounds. This is, no doubt, owing to the great heaviness of the water, a fact well known, and which was apply verified in the usual which we amply verified in the usual way, for, on attempting to swim, we went floating about like empty casks. This experiment was more satisfactory in its progress than in its results, which were a very unctuous skin and a most postiferous stinging of every nerve, as if we had been beaten with nettles. Nor abwas the water we took into our mouth a t whit less vile than the most nauseous drugs of the apothecary.

That fish cannot live in this strong

n solution of bitumen and salt is too obvi-dous to need proof: but to say that birds cannot fly over it and live is one of the examot fiv over it and live is one of the
exaggerations of travelers, who perhaps
were not, like ourselves, so fortunate as
to see a fleck of ducks reposing on the
a water in apparently good health. And
yet this was all the life we did see. The
whole ralley was one seething caldron,
under a more than tropical sun. God
forsaken and man forsaken, no green
thing grows within it, and it remains to
this day as striking a monument of God's this day as striking a monument of God's fearful judgments as when the fire from heaven devoured the once mighty cities of the plain.—Missionary Herald.

Not So Bad as We Seem.

It is true that in those earlier ages men died for faith, principle, ideas; but so do they die for them in this age. Every day throughout the world mon are takday throughout the world man are taking the line flying leaps to death because of their fidelity to ideas. The poor switchman that last week leaped on the railroad track in front of the rapidly moving train and flung two little children from it, but not his own death under the murderway wheek of the readerways machine. derous wheels of the ponderous machine, died because of his idea of duty. It was not his duty to fling away his own life for that of others, but he thought it was, and he did it. Self sacrifice, unselfishness of the highest and noblest sort is not of any particular age, but of all ages. The spirit of compromise is the spirit of selfishness, and it is not an exclusive great to the present time.

selfishness, and it is not an exclusive growth of the present time.

Indeed, it would be difficult, if not impossible, to find any other period of the world's history in which the spirit of wharity, of good will toward men, was nore sentient or active than it is today. It is not only in this country, but in all send with the property of the proof. The land is thick with great charities. We need but look about any great city like this to recognize how strong and inke this to recognize now strong and oread and deep the stream of charity flows. It is epitemized in scores of institutions kept alive at a most enormous east for the helping of those who need

help; there are hospitals, homes, asylums, ratuges, schools numberless, which all represent the world's unselfishness, its liberality and charity. This age is not worse but better, than those which went before it, because there is ever a partial training and its better. potent spirit abroad in it helping and improving it. Religion, education, social usages, are all employed in chaping the world to better ends, and they are doing it effectually.-Philadelphia Telegraph.

Governesses in New South South Wales.

New South Wales does not seem an ideal place for "gentlewomen" to emi-grate to. An advertisement recently ap-peared in a Sydney paper to the following purport: "Governess required, country, cldest pupil eleven; must be good teacher." Attracted by the last words a lady who has ably filled some of the best "Governess required, counappointments in England and in the colony, but who was for the moment discolony, but who was for the moment disengaged, answered the advertisement. And this is the reply she received to her letter, verbatim et literatim, including the punctuation: "In reply to yours I require a governess to teach English music drawing French (beginners), calisthenies there are four pupils eldest eleven youngest four and a half and two younger children with whom you would have little to do as there is a nurse. Your two younger pupils would require to be washed and dressed and the eldest to have her hair done. There would be a few light household duties of which I could tell you should you consider the could tell you should you consider the ition likely to suit you. The salary position likely to a £30 per annum!

Surely, this is enough; but there fol-Surely, this is enough; but there follows a gracious promise that the salary shall be raised by a pound or two, "if you suit your employers" and "are agreeable in the house." It is fortunate for the successful applicant for this lucrative appointment that she will have but little to do with children under the age of 44; for, with four to teach all the subjects required, two to dress entirely, and two to have their hair done, what time is the unfortunate governess to have for herself? But, then, she is to receive £30 a year, with a promise of a receive £30 a year, with a promise of a "rise," if she is "agreeable" in the house. **–Al**bany Argus.

Dangers of Close Reports. Dangers of Close Reports.

The imitative faculty in young persons laads often to tragic happenings, as well es to the query: Are there not vast dangers in the minute details, made public in the newspapers, as to crimes and their perpetration? A lad in London has succeeded in closely imitating the atrocities of the Whitechapel fiend, dissecting his riction-another lad—in just the manner of the Whitechapel fiend, dissecting his victim—another lad—in just the manner described in the papers relating the murders. Another case in point comes from Iowa, where a boy killed his small brother after witnessing the operation of butchering hogs. The youthful murderer became absorbed in the gory operation, and next day invited his victim to play butchering and to assume the role of the hog. This he did with such zeal that his innocent young life was the forfeit. To give to the world the minutest decalls of a boundal murder is to increase details of a brutal murder is to increase the chances that, among some of the youngest readers of these samples of unnecessary realism, there will be let-loose an evil spirit of initiation, whose

mission will be accomplished only when

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and up: Rattan Rockers, \$1.50, \$2.00, to \$20.; Oak Tables \$2.50

and up; Elegant Cak and Walnut Stands, 90c; Large Car-

pet Lounges, full spring, \$5.00; Pictures 75c; Parlor Suits \$25-all Plush and Latest Styles, Walnut

Frames. Oak Bed Room Sets, \$20 and \$25 up. re have the Goods and they Must be Sold. Remember the place,

BACHMAN BROS.,

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Open Every Evening Until After the Holidays.

With Every BOY'S OVERCOAT,

Lowest Prices.

The "Turned Around" Mystery. One of the annoying things of life is what is known as being "turned around"—that is, confused as to the points of the compass. Probably nearly every one has had something of this experience, but it is much more vexatious in some cases than in others, A friend of the writer thus describes his experience: "The only place where I have been thoroughly and persistently astray in this matter is Poughkeepsie, which I have had occasion to wish a few times in the course of Probably nearly every one has Poughkeepsie, which I have had occasion to visit a few times in the course of my life. Everybody has heard of the orator who, in an impassioned moment, exclaimed: 'I know no north, no south, no east, no west.' Well, his condition was greatly to be envied by the man who thinks that west is east and north is

south, and who cannot rid his mind of the idea.

"The first time I went to Poughkeepsie, some lifteen years ago, it was firmly impressed on my mind that the city was on the west bank of the Hudson and that the principal street, which runs directly back from the river, went in a direction exactly west. Passing Foughkeepsie on one of the river steamers, I am well one of the river steamers, I am well aware that it is on the east side, but the moment my foot is set on the shore a demon takes possession of me and my no-tions of direction are all awry. I am even in doubt when the train enters the station whether it is going north or south, and if left to myself I should prob-ably take the train bound for Albany

ably take the train bound for Abany when I wanted to go to New York.

"The other night I had to wait half an hour for a train there, and during the interval I made desperate efforts to set my mind right. On the newspaper in my hand I drew a mental map of the Hudson, and then, starting with the assured fact that Poughkeepsie is on the east bank, I tried to convince myself of the true state of things. But my mind refused to stay convinced. As I think of Poughkeepsie now, Main street, as you go no it from the river, runs just west. go up it from the river, runs just west. I wish some one could explain this phenomenon for me. One part of my mennomenon for me. One part of my men-tal make up knows positively which direction is north and which is south, as well in Penghkeepsie as elsewhere, but the other part (and the one which is con-trolling) refuses to accept this knowl-edge. Why is it? Where is the philoso-pher who can explain it?—New York

She Painted Her Lips. A very framy accident happened at a reception where a bright woman, who was out for the first time after a long illness, was the victim. Just before she left home some one said that she had left home some one said that she had better put some color on her lips, as they looked perfectly blue. A scrpent in the chape of a charming girl vohnteered her mixture, one of carmine and glycerine (which, if any is to be used, is most desirable), and she carefully painted the invalid's mouth, putting the most color in the centre, to give it the desired rose-bud effect. The newly painted was warned that she could cat or drink anything cold, but of anything hot she wars to beware. Remembering this, she declined going into the supper room, and was the center of a group of men, and having the largest land of a time, when an imp of darkness, in the form of a footman, came along with a tray on

when an imp of darkness, in the form of a footman, came along with a tray on which were cups of coffee and glasses of punch. Without a thought the "ladge faire" took a cup of coffee; she sipped it slowly, and then, horrors of horrors, made bud worse by wiping her mouth on a tiny napkin which had been given have. Storger early entrying on the faces mission will be accomplished only which another horror is performed. The illus-trated police papers and the sensational journals that revel in details of hideous crimes have much to answer for, and too often servo as accessories in rob-beries and murders.—Pittsburg Bulletin. her. She soon saw surprise on the faces of some of the men. One glance at the damask in her hand told her what was the matter, and with providential presence of mind she put it up to her lips again, I aned on the man nearest to her, whispered in muffled tones that she was ill and must go home. Out of the draw-ing room, quickly she got on her wrips. and when she was helped to her carriage the man who had been her stand by could not resist telling her that he was sure she must be ill because her lips had grown so pale. However, the men were good fellows and they never told on her, good renews and they never too of the though she swore by every one of the Buddhist gods and all of the Chinese devils that she'd submit to green lips again before she would get in such a fix. —Bab in Fhiladelphia Times.

Buying Historical Chairs. An incident of Gen. Sheridan's visit to Europe during the Franco-Prussian war is omitted from his article in the Novem-SLED Gratis, is omitted from his article in the November's grace of the facts. When the general reached belief he asked the American minister to recommend to him some minister to recommended Mr. Charles The minister to recommend to him some May 26% The man at 100 Mr. ANTED-At Laddes' Select Parlors, 221 Nov. 10.4% The Mr. ANTED-At Laddes' Select Parlors, 221 Nov. 10.4% The Mr. ANTED-At Laddes' Select Parlors, 221 Nov. 10.4% The Mr. ANTED-At Laddes' Select Parlors, 221 Nov. 10.4% The Mr. ANTED-At Laddes' Select Parlors, 221 Nov. 10.4% The Mr. ANTED-At Laddes' Select Parlors, 221 Nov. 10. Yorkers as a police commissioner than as an interpreter, and he followed Gen. Sheridan through the campaign. The general relates in Scribner's how Bismarck the great and Napoleon the little sat on rude weeden chairs in front of a You will find a Large Assortment of Children's OVER-COATS with CAPES, the Latest Styles at the very sat on rade wooden chairs in front of a cottage near Sedan, discussing the situation, and there is a picture showing the two men, one triumphant, the other downcast, in the peasant's garden. A few days later Gen. Sheridan dined with Bismarck, who began to talk of the surrender. "That meeting," said the Prussian chanceller, "will be historical. I sent over yesterday and bought those two chairs from the peasant for ten francs apiece; now I have them as mementoes; and I suppose," he added, with a laugh, "the English will go on laying these chairs for years to come." There was a general laugh at this remark, but one officer had more to laugh at than the others, and gave his reasons New Oxidized and Gold Crooks. Every Umbrella Guaranteed. Leather Satchels, Leather Sets, Collar and Cuff Sets, Tourist Leather Cases with Combs and Brushes. ne Dress Filk Robes, Night Robes, Full Dress Coats and Vests, Full Dress Shirts, Jewen / for Full Dress at than the others, and gave his reasons to Mr. MacLean afterward. "You see," he said, "I know as well as Bismarck that the meeting would be historical, so the very next day I rode over myself and

> pair."—San Francisco Argonaut. Look Out for the Buzz Saw A folded sheet iron newspaper (imita tion), designed for those prowling and dishonest persons who steal papers that do not belong to them, is an innovation that will be luiled with delight by all the statements of the control of the contr that will be finited with defight by an honest newsdealers. The paper contains a rat trap attachment and a buzz saw, which is worked by concealed machinery, duly and properly wound up in the morning. A tramp or dishoust person morning. A trainp or distincts person pouncing on the newspaper sets the machinery in motion; the iron jaws of the rat trap close over the hand of the thier, and the saw gets in its fine work with the most discurraging effect on the kieptomaniac.—San Francisco Argonaut.

got the chairs for five francs for the

Why It West Out.

"Keep your seats, please, ladies and gentlemen," said a theatrical manager, "there is no trouble whatever, but for some inexplicable reason the gas went Then a boy shouted from the gallery:
"Perhaps it didn't like the play."—New
York Sun.

Electric Bitters. This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise.—A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all deseases of HOW IS THIS? the Liver and Kidn-ys, will remove im-pure blood.—Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malaria fevers.—For cure of Headache, Consumption and Indigestion try Electric Bitters—Entire estisfaction guaran-toed, or money refunded.—Price 50 cts. sane Seat Rockers, \$1 00, \$2.00, etc.; All Plush Rockers, \$3.00 \$4.00 and \$1.00 per bottle at Swearingen.s Drug Store. 5m

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the examination of William King, the colored man who is said to have two hearts. He is about twenty-five years of age. The examination proved that he has a divided heart, such as is found in the

lower animal kingdom. The heart beats perceptibly on both sides. He claims to be able to drop his ribs like a set of double-action window blinds, but when this was done it was detected by his control of the oblique transverse and rectus muscles He claims that he can change the locality of his double heart, but this was proof his doubte field, the history of his doubt his period of long practice. He caused his hearts, pulse and temple to cease beating for a period of sixty seconds, and the physicians pronounced it a successful effort. King is now in the county jail for being drunk and disorderly. He announces that his mother discovered his double heart when he was six months old.

A Man With a Divided Heart

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 3.—The Mercer County Medical Society devoted the better

of its session Tuesday afternoon to

Freak of a Father Frenzied by Religion NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Isaac Overend, a hatter, of Orange, N. J., is under arrest natter, of orange, 10, 15 assault upon his there for a murderous assault upon his son Isaac, aged twenty-one years, Tuesday morning. The young man was found in the hallway of the house where he and the field in an inconscious condihis father lived, in an unconscious condition, his head and face covered with cuts and bruises. His father was found asleep in bed with blood upon his person and clothing. He is believed to be suffering from religious in-anity, and supposed that it was necessary to kill his son. There had been no family quarrel. Isuae is in a critical condition and may not re-

The New Hampshire Constitutional Convention.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 3.—The conven-

ST. Nicholas Hotel tion of delegates called to revise the State Constitution, assembled yesterday morn-ing. G. W. M. Firman, of Barilett, who was a member of the conventions of 1856 and 1876, was elected temporary president. Delegate Baker, of Lebanon, was chosen temporary secretary. After the appointment of a committee on credentials a recess was taken. The Steamship Haytien Republic in Tow

The Staumship Haytien Republic in Tow for Santingo de Cuba. NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—The Sun's special dispatch from Suntiago de Cuba says that the United States stemmer Galena is tow-ing the steamship Haytien Republic to that port from Port-au-Prince. At San-tingo de Cuba the Haytien Republic will await the arrival of a crew from New York. She will then take aboard a carge of logwood and sail for Boston.

—Chartes Swift and Jacob Reislock, pupils of the Ohlo Institute for the Deaf and Dumb at Columbus, were drowned by the breaking of the ice on a pond. S. Breedmack and another pa-pil were rescued and will recover.

MARKET REPORT. Grain and Provisions.

ST. LOUIS.
FLOUR-Firm, XXX. to choice, \$3.20823-60 FLOCK-Firm, XXX. to Cable. Interest of the No. 2 Red, Sec. 10. 5.30. WHEAT-Note in No. 2 Red, Sec. No. 2 Red, Sec. 10. 5. Red, Sec. 10. Sec. 10. 5. Red, Sec. 10. Sec. 10. 5. Red, Sec. 10. Sec. 10. 5. Red, Sec.

LARD-Normal plant scales, 118.75.
PORK-Quict; standard mess, 118.75.
BACON-Longs, 7% Tive; shorts, 8%28%0;
clear ribs, 7% a 8c, all packed.
WOOL-Charet tub-washed, 37%c
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Wrongo-cline: but steady: Minacsofa extra FLORE—Que: but steady: Minaceota extra, superfine, \$2.75.2.50; line, \$4.15\(\delta\)8.00; City Mill extra, \$5.15\(\delta\)0.00; City Mill extra, \$5.15\(\delta\)0.00 (west lindes).

WHEAT—Unsettled and caster; No. 1 Red State, \$1.08; No. 2, do., \$1.024; No. 2 Red Winter, January, \$1.024; do., February, \$1.02, CORN—Quiet, No. 2 are no., cash, dec. (A). January, \$4\(\delta\)\0.00 (p. 2). Pebruary, \$6\(\delta\)\0.00 (p. 2).

OATS—Steady: No. 1 White State, \$20.00 (p. 2). do., 31; No. 2 max-d, January, 30 let; do., Feb

uary, 32c. PORK—Dull: mess, 411,25,211,75. LARDs-Easter: Japaney, 7,99c: February, Berren--Quiet and buseffled; Westers reamery, Lincy, 30 (31)c. Englis-Lower, State, v.) (21)c. Western, 20c. [1]

ary, \$7,40 (7.40'te., May, 7.52'te. SHORT RIBS - Johnary, 6.02'4c. BUTTER-Steady.

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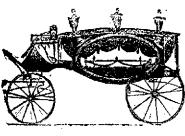
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